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In re U.S. Patent Application of:)
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Application Number: 09/769,500) Group Art Unit 2131
Filed: January 26, 2001)
For: Customer Information Control System)
Attorney Docket No.: TESJ.0025)

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

LETTER

Sir:

The below-identified communications are submitted in the above-captioned application or proceeding:

(X) 8 Sheets of Drawings on correct paper size

() Request for Priority

(X) Small Entity Statement

(X) Response to Missing Parts

() Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a)

with executed declaration

(X) Check for \$ 65.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication, including fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and 1.17 or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account Number 08-1480**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Missing Parts dated May 1, 2001, of the Initial Patent Examination Division of the Patent and Trademark Office, the period for response to which is set to expire on July 1, 2001. Submitted herewith is an executed declaration for the above-captioned application. Also submitted are drawings with the proper margins and on the proper sized paper.

The fee of \$65.00 is enclosed. The Assignee herein is a small entity. Please direct any inquiries in connection with this application to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

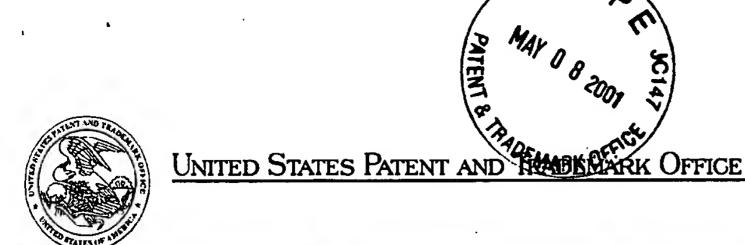
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - are not on the correct size paper (see 37 CFR 1.84(f)) The size of the sheets on which drawings are made must be either 21.0 cm. by 29.7 cm. (DIN size A4) or 21.6 cm. by 27.9 cm (8 ½ by 11 inches);

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A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the reply.

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